

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 34

By Sargent

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize the contributions of
Marie Hardison Jordan.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to salute those estimable public servants who have dedicated themselves to improving the quality of life for their fellow citizens; and

WHEREAS, Marie Hardison Jordan is one such noteworthy person, who serves as a volunteer for the Williamson County Public Library; and

WHEREAS, a highly respected member of her community, Mrs. Jordan has been a dedicated library volunteer for over twenty years; and

WHEREAS, Marie Jordan has served with acumen and alacrity on the Board of the Friends of the Williamson County Public Library, and, since 1994, she has held the position of President within that organization, working at the local and state levels to raise funds and encourage library patronage; and

WHEREAS, at a young age, Mrs. Jordan's parents instilled in her a love for reading, and this affection was further encouraged by a certain librarian, Miss Laura Howard; and

WHEREAS, Marie Jordan has tried to pass this love on to her children and grandchildren, as well as the children of friends; and

WHEREAS, thanks to those early influences, Mrs. Jordan has been a lifelong reader and now works assiduously to ensure that others, especially children, have a chance to find the same joy in the written word that has helped to sustain her over the years; and

WHEREAS, Mrs. Jordan is wholly committed to the noble precepts of public service that have earned Tennessee recognition as the "Volunteer State," and she should be specially recognized for this dedication and the acts that have proceeded from it; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED SIXTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, that we hereby honor and recognize Marie Hardison Jordan for her years of service as a volunteer for the Williamson County Public Library and extend to her our best wishes for future success in all her endeavors.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.